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The attached table gives figures on 1953 planned production and on actual production during the first three quarters of 1953 of various plants producing sulphuric acid, sulphates, superphosphates, potashes and allied products. The plants are under the Main Administration Heavy Chemistry of the Chemistry Section in the Ministry for Heavy Industry. The Chemistry Section is the former State Secretariat for Chemistry. Revised plan figures represent the revised production plan established after 30 June 1953.

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Item	Unit	Planned Production 1953	Revised Production 1953	Actual Production 1953		
				First Quarter	First Two Quarters	First Three Quarters
<u>VEB Pottaschefabrik Neustasslirt</u>						
Potashes	tons	6,250.0	2,560.0	1,222.8	2,561.35%	2,561.359
Potassium bicarbonate	tons	250.0	120.0	68.7	120.152	120.152
Kalium Sulfuricum	tons	800.0	1,573.0	372.1	803.064	1,284.115
Electric energy	million kW hours	8.2	11.2610	2.1690	4.8390	8.144228
<u>VEB Gluehnphosphatwerk Ruedersdorf b/Berlin</u>						
Magnesium phosphate	tons P ₂ O ₅	14,000.0	12,528.0	1,831.9	5,527.6	9,614.6
<u>VEB Schwefelsaure-und Superphosphatwerk Cesswig</u>						
Sulphuric acid	tons	51,200.0	53,499.5	13,309.829	26,839.486	40,146.593
Sodium fluosilicate	tons	150.0	207.5	79.951	153.302	182.970
Superphosphates without phosphorus	tcas P ₂ O ₅	7,500.0	6,899.5	661.390	1,884.070	4,206.044
Superphosphates with phosphorus	tons P ₂ O ₅	7,500.0	7,500.0	3,666.177	6,781.426	7,554.896
Superphosphates, granulated	tons P ₂ O ₅	500.0	514.5	130.536	264.529	400.939
Iron sulphate, crystallized	kg	173,000.0	196,405.0	56,565.0	109,905.0	166,183.0
Iron sulphate, dried	kg	18,000.0	19,550.0	5,150.0	10,550.0	16,150.0
Glycerine	tons	180.0	236.7	70,250	146.750	218.0
Potassium fluosilicate	tons	-	21.8	-	-	21.786
<u>VEB Schwefelsaure-und Superphosphatwerk Salzwedel</u>						
Sulphuric acid	tons SO ₃	8,200.0	7,919.0	4,149.0	264.0-sale 3,885.0-own use	264.0-sale 5,778.0-own use
Superphosphates	tons P ₂ O ₅	11,500.0	8,985.0	1,990.0	3,485.0	6,389.0
Sodium fluosilicate	tons	50.0	69.0	21.0	45.0	106.0
<u>VEB Bleicherdewerk Tannenberg, Stassfurt</u>						
Fuller's earth	tons	5,000.0	4,760.0	1,196.835	2,358.350	3,577.238